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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

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The following constitutes the ruling of the court and has the force and effect therein described.

Signed August 26, 2024

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United States Bankruptcy Judge

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION

IN RE: §
DENNIS JAMES ROGERS II, § CASE NO. 22-30500-swe7
DEBTOR. §

**ORDER GRANTING FIRST INTERIM APPLICATION FOR
ALLOWANCE OF FEES AND EXPENSES OF SPECIAL COUNSEL**

On this date, the Court considered the *First Interim Application for Allowance of Fees and Expenses of Special Counsel* (Dkt. No. 245, the “Application”) filed by Areya Holder Aurzada (the “Trustee”), in her capacity as the chapter 7 trustee for Dennis James Rogers II. The Court, after considering the record and noting that no objections were filed to the Application, finds that notice of the Application was appropriate and sufficient under the circumstances, the amount sought in the Application for compensation to Schneider Miller Reynolds, P.C. (“SMR”) and Dortch Lindstrom Livingston Law Group (“DLLLG”) as special counsel for the Trustee is reasonable compensation for actual and necessary services rendered to the Trustee pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 330, and the Application should be granted as set forth below.

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It is therefore ORDERED that SMR is hereby awarded compensation in the amount of \$45,995.00 (\$25,995.00 for fees plus \$20,000.00 for expenses).

It is further ORDERED that DLLLG is hereby awarded compensation in the amount of \$24,000.00 for fees.

It is further ORDERED that the Trustee shall be and hereby is authorized to immediately pay SMR and DLLLG the full amount of fees and expenses approved herein.

End of Order # #

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